## UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SECOND CIRCUIT

At a Stated Term of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, held at the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse, 40 Foley Square, in the City of New York, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, two thousand and twelve.

Before: Dennis Jacobs,

Chief Judge,
Chester J. Straub,
Christopher F. Droney
Circuit Judges.

Edith Schlain Windsor, In her Official capacity as Executor of the estate of Thea Clara Spyer,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

**JUDGMENT** 

Docket Nos. 12-2335(L) 12-2435(con)

Bipartisan Legal Advisory Group of the United States House of Representatives,

Intervenor - Defendant - Appellant,

United States of America,

Defendant-Appellant.

The appeal in the above captioned case from a judgment of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York was argued on the district court record and the parties' briefs. Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the judgment of the district court is AFFIRMED in accordance with the opinion of this court.

For The Court:

Catherine O'Hagan Wolfe, Clerk of Court

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United States Court of Appeals, Second Circuit

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MANDATE ISSUED ON 05/30/2014